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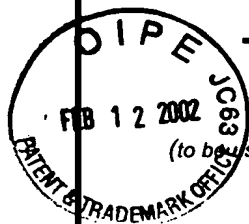
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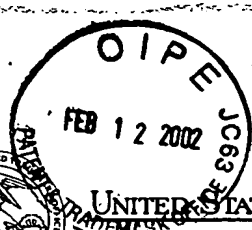
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- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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TRANSMISSION OF EXECUTED DECLARATION

Attn: Box Missing Parts Fee  
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Sir:

Responsive to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional  
Application-Filing Date Granted", mailed October 29, 2001, copy attached,  
transmitted herewith is the executed Declaration.

The late fee of \$65.00 is transmitted herewith.

A one month extension of time is hereby requested. The extension fee of  
\$55.00 is transmitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees in  
connection herewith to applicant's attorney's Deposit Account No. 01.2000. A  
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Respectfully submitted,

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